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NO-STRIKE ORDER GIVEN UMW

Severe Penalty Asked—

Trial Of Alleged U.S. Spy Closes

BUDAPEST, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The trial of U. S. businessman Robert A. Vogeler and six others on spy charges ended today, with the prosecution demanding "the most severe punishment." Court was adjourned until tomorrow, when the verdict will be read.

Vogeler, in an abject "last word statement" to the peoples court, declared he had confessed to the charges without "any pressure or insults."

Soviets Seize 30 Trucks In Raids On Reich Metal

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The Russians seized 30 German trucks in the last 24 hours in stepped up raids on metal shipments to and from western Berlin, U. S. sector police reported today.

Western Allied officials indicated their fifth protest in a month is being prepared. Four western protests already have been delivered against these and other Soviet actions, which have been crippling Berlin's traffic with western Germany.

Every truckload of scrap steel and non-ferrous metals reaching west Berlin's outskirts since yesterday morning was impounded by Soviet zone authorities. The east German republic set up under Communist domination in the Soviet occupation zone badly needs metals for its industries.

About 20 of the confiscated trucks were bound from west Germany to Berlin. The others had been leaving west Berlin for west Germany.

British officials said later that the Russians released nine of the 30 trucks along with the cargoes of metals. The officials said they had no other details immediately.

Urgent warnings were issued yesterday to traffic on the main highway connecting Berlin with western Germany, after the Russians had seized 22 trucks. Today, despite these warnings, more truckloads of metals fell into Russian hands.

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A-Bomb Protection—

ANOTHER CAPITAL FOR U. S. PROPOSED IF ENEMY STRIKES

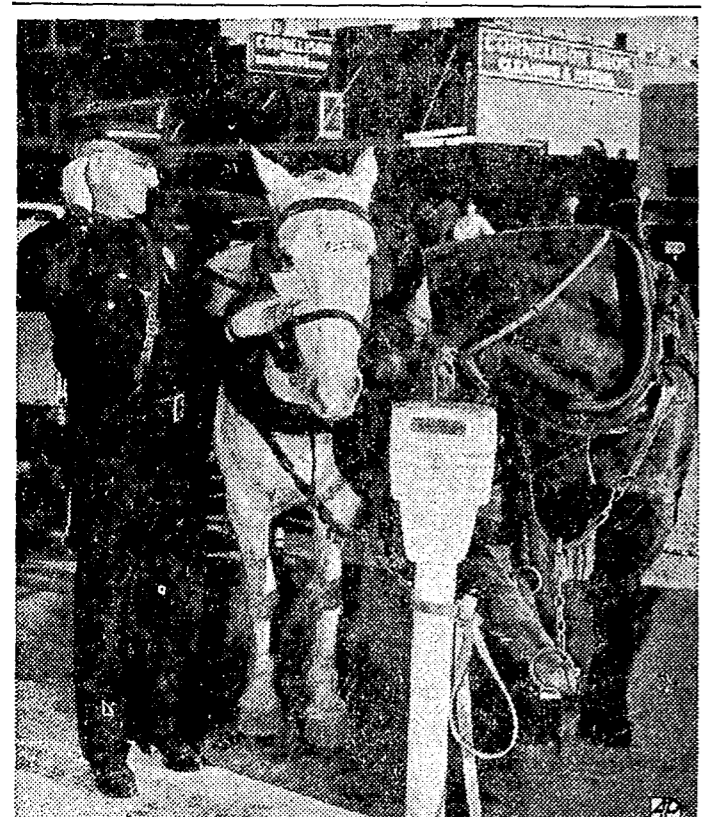
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Senator Tydings (D-Md.) said today defense officials have been studying for some time the advisability of setting up a second U. S. capital to be used in event of an enemy attack.

The chairman of the Senate Armed Services committee discussed the situation after Rep. Hollifield (D-Calif.) had proposed the establishment of an alternate capital, perhaps underground. There have been similar suggestions in the past, especially from Senator Wiley (R-Wis.).

Hollifield planned to introduce in the house a joint resolution to create a seven-member commission. It would study the feasibility of a substitute capital and report to the President and Congress by January 3, 1951.

Paul J. Larsen, new head of the Office of Civilian Defense, already is talking of a plan of defense which includes scattering of functions and putting some of them underground.

Larsen, who takes over March 1,



HITCHING VIOLATION?—Patrolman Tom Read of San Angelo, Texas, scratches his head as he wonders if a hitching violation is the same as a parking violation. Read found this gray mare and her companion hitched to a downtown parking meter. The violation flag was up, so he wrote out a ticket and attached it to the mare's harness. (AP Photo).



MOTHER STUDIES FOR DEGREE—An age when many women are sitting in a rocking chair and knitting, Mrs. Vera Holzgraf Hightower (above) is pursuing a degree from Texas A&M at Kingsville. The slight, silver-haired mother of two grown boys began her college career 47 years after graduating from high school. She's a candidate for a Bachelor of Science degree in May. After that she plans to study some more and follow her urge to write. (AP Wirephoto).

Senate Works On Plan To Assist Small Business

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—An uncertain senate grappled today with the question of how it can best attend to the needs of the nation's small business.

With four different proposals before them, the lawmakers debated the issue for three days last week without reaching a decision. They finally agreed to vote today (3 p.m. CST).

In advance of the vote, Senator Maybank (D-SC) summed things up this way:

"Everybody wants to help the little businessman but we can't seem to agree about how to do it."

Here were the choices facing the senate:

1. A year-old proposal by Senators Holland (D-Fla.) and Wherry (R-Neb.), to create a regular legislative committee on small business. It appeared to have little chance of adoption.

2. A substitute by Holland that would add five senators to the senate banking committee whenever it handles small business matters. A banking subcommittee headed by Maybank now deals with these matters.

3. A substitute by Wherry which would set up a "select committee on small business" on a non-essential basis.

A substitute by Senator Murray (D-Mont.) to set up a "special committee on small business" for two years. It could investigate and hold hearings but not write a bill.

100 Men Enter Coal Company, Beat Two Men

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Approximately 100 men entered the office of the Richmond Coal Company, a local coal producer, here today, beat two officials of the company and upset-office furniture, law enforcement officers were told.

The operators, Douglas Blair and Douglas Noonan, told officers the leaders of the group walked into the office, said they noticed the company's mine was working and asked if the firm had signed a contract with the United Mine Workers Union. The company employs five men.

Noonan said he told them "no" but that the mine was working under the Taft-Hartley law. Witnesses said some of the men beat Noonan over the head with pistol butts and when Blair went to his aid, he was beaten also. Noonan was taken to a hospital with severe bruises.

Witnesses said the gang upset office furniture, tore a telephone off the wall and ransacked filing cabinets. Earl Martin, a company employee, reported he and Lonzo Carnes, another employee, were attacked by the men. Martin said he ran and was shot at but not hit. The employees told Sheriff Charles L. Hammons the invaders littered the yard, overturned company trucks and ran one truck into a coal elevator.

Blair and Noonan said the men were traveling in about 25 automobiles and said most of the license plates were covered or smeared with mud.

Amendments Flood Texas Tax Bills As Senate Tackles Revenue Measures

NO DEBATE OR OPPOSITION IS OFFERED YET

Cigarette Levy Boost Will Be Taken Up Last

AUSTIN, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The Senate today plovered into the house-passed omnibus tax bill to provide funds for state hospitals and special schools.

A unanimous 27-0 vote suspended rules to take up the bill immediately upon receipt of a favorable report from the State Affairs committee.

Without debate or opposition, 15 amendments were quickly tacked on, all of them minor and many of them simply typographical corrections.

The bill was the first of the two house-passed tax bills to come out of the Senate committee. It thereby won floor consideration ahead of the proposed penny-a-pack cigarette tax increase.

The committee recommended Senate passage for both tax plans last Friday.

An effort to exempt from the bill gas used in a new chemical industry at Brownsville, utilizing natural gas as a raw material, was battered down 25 to 5.

Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg noted that several types of natural gas are exempt from taxation and said he thought the gas to be used as raw material in hydrocol plant should also be because of the experimental nature of the project.

He said the backers of the project, which is not yet actually producing, have no way of knowing whether it will be profitable.

Senator W. R. Cousins, Jr., of Beaumont objected. He said there were numerous plants in the Sabine area also using natural gas as a raw material in manufacture of such commodities as rubber that are not exempt. He said many of them were established with private capital in a highly competitive field, and not with RFC money like the Brownsville project.

A 21-8 defeat was handed Senate by the vote.

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Stockard Favors Levy On Texas' Cigarette Users

"Eighty-five percent of the adult population of Texas today smoke cigarettes."

This is a declaration of Jerry T. Stockard, Corsicana attorney, member of the state legislature, in a letter to the state legislature in defense of the two tax bills passed the house and awaiting action in the Texas senate.

He is a member of the house committee on revenue and taxation where all tax measures must originate.

The statement of the lawmaker came in defense of measures in the senate following a number of protests against the cigarette tax proposal.

"The penny a package tax on cigarettes and the increase in the present omnibus tax law covering such items as oil, gas, sulphur and many others are the most feasible tax plans which could be considered and passed this time in a 30-day session."

"Since 85 percent of the adult population of Texas today smoke cigarettes, no other tax on a non-essential item could be more widely and evenly distributed among the population than this tax. The revenues raised are to be used in building a program for our mental institutions and since the more than 25,000 people in these institutions come from all walks of life," he continued, "as many people as possible should have a part in paying for this program."

"No other tax plan more nearly efficient."

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Attlee Slaps Back—

British Election Race Enters Stretch

LONDON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Prime Minister Attlee slapped back today at a conservative charge that the Labor party is trying to reduce all Britons to the level of the least efficient.

In a direct reply to the Conservative charge, voiced by Winston Churchill, the prime minister said: "During the last four and a half years there have been great changes and a considerable leveling up. Some people call it leveling down. Of course, it depends where you start."

If you were right at the top you were leveled down. If you were down you were leveled up. If you were in the middle you are about where you were."

Attlee spoke at a campaign meeting in Walthamstow, as the British election race entered the stretch.



IS THERE JUSTIFICATION IN MERCY KILLING?

World Watches Doctor's Trial

By the Associated Press

What right does a doctor have to hasten death when a patient in severe pain asks him to do so? This question may be decided today in the trial of Dr. Hermann N. Sander, at Manchester, N. H.

He is accused of injecting air in the veins of Mrs. Abbie Borroto, who was dying of cancer. Her husband has said of the doctor, "He has my complete confidence."

But the law of the land and of religion says, "Thou shalt not kill." Judge Harold E. Westcott and a jury will have to decide the case, which is drawing attention from all the world.

Motorman Blamed In Train Wreck Goes To Hospital

ROCKVILLE CENTRE, N. Y., Feb. 20.—(AP)—The motorman blamed for the railroad wreck which killed 29 persons and injured 105 others, was ordered removed from his home to Meadowbrook Hospital, in nearby Hempstead, today.

The Nassau county district attorney's office directed the removal after the doctor attending the motorman, Jacob Kiefer, 55, told a policeman on duty at Kiefer's home that his patient might not be in condition for arraignment for a week.

Kiefer had been scheduled for arraignment today on a manslaughter charge.

Kiefer was placed under arrest at his home after Friday night's crashup on the Long Island railroad—the worst railroad wreck in the nation since 1916.

Nassau county district attorney Frank A. Gulotta said Kiefer drove his train through one red light, and possibly two, before two electric commuter trains crashed on a temporary siding.

Thirty-eight of the injured remained in hospitals today.

DOCTOR GOES ON TRIAL FOR "MERCY KILLING" OF WOMAN

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Dr. Hermann N. Sander today went on trial for murder in the "mercy killing" of a woman cancer patient he could not heal.

The 41-year-old doctor—wearing a faint smile of confidence—quietly took his seat in the tiny courtroom as the selection of a jury began.

With the doctor was his wife, who left a sick bed to be by her husband's side in a trial that has stirred international feeling.

Dr. Sander is charged specifically with giving air in-



VICTIM Mrs. Abbie Borroto

ACCUSED Dr. Hermann Sander

jections to Mrs. Abbie Borroto, 59-year-old Manchester housewife dying of cancer, to cut short her suffering.

Superior Court Judge Harold E. Westcott solemnly explained to the prospective jurors why they were called and told them Dr. Sander had pleaded "not guilty" to a charge of murder.

Court Clerk Arthur S. Healy explained that no spectators would be admitted until a jury was selected.

The doctor wore a smile of confidence and a bright red scarf as he arrived at the red-brick courthouse. With him was his wife, who has stood loyally by his side, and two defense lawyers.

Only a handful of curious braved the bitter cold to watch outside the courthouse.

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NEW DEMAND COMES FROM U. S. JUDGE

Contempt Action Possible Against Idle Coal Miners

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Federal Judge Richmond B. Keech renewed his "stop strike" order to the coal miners today despite union arguments that there is no strike-only work stoppages by individual miners.

Keech set the order to run until March 3. Meantime, he will consider whether to issue an 80-day injunction under the Taft-Hartley law.

Since the miners have paid no attention to Keech for 10 days, there appeared to be no prospect that the renewal of his order would bring any practical change in the situation. John L. Lewis and coal operators deadlocked on new contract terms, the miners idle, and the country suffering increasing difficulties from lack of coal.

At the White House, Presidential press secretary Charles Ross said President Truman had received a report of the situation, but that no White House action was to be anticipated today.

Asked whether there was any possibility the President would ask power to seize the mines, Ross said he couldn't say what the President might ultimately do.

Keech has had a "stop strike" order out since Feb. 11, but the 372,000 miners have ignored it. Lewis himself has observed it to the extent of twice sending instructions to the miners that they should go back to work.

The miners' refusal to obey the order has the government casting about for possible new actions to get coal mined. One move that is a possibility is to demand that the United Mine Workers, that could result in big fines on the union.

There has also been talk in congress of legislation to let the government seize the mines. But Democratic leaders are not taking to that idea.

House Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) said after conference of legislative leaders with President Truman today that the President has no plan to ask such authority. Mr. Truman said he does not want it.

Senate Democratic leader Lucas (Ill.) said he had not heard any talk of seizure legislation by the administration.

Rayburn said there was only general discussion of the coal situation at the White House conference. He said Mr. Truman told them he was "expecting some kind of report" later today on the situation. Presumably, this is a report from his fact-finding board and mediation officials who are in touch with developments.

Adding pressure for the government to find some way to get coal production was a cold wave in the Northeast. Temperatures fell to the lowest of the winter.

The fuel shortage also was pressing in the industry. Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation made plans to close plants employing 25,000 unless coal production is resumed by midweek.

Already, some 42,000 workers outside the coal industry itself are idle because of the coal strike.

Keech's new order is technically an extension of the one which expired today. It served to keep his temporarily "stop strike" order alive until he can rule on whether to issue an 80-day injunction under the Taft-Hartley law.

Keech acted after a two-hour conference in his chambers with attorneys for the government and for the United Mine Workers.

Harry M. Hull, clerk of the court, announced it. Hull said the question of the miners' compliance with the order was one which Keech issued 10 days ago did not come up at the conference.

There was an agreement between attorneys to do away with a hearing on the 80-day injunction.

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Red Cross Drive Opens Tuesday; Goal Is \$13,500

A kickoff breakfast for the advance gift workers in the annual American Red Cross fund campaign will be held at 7:30 a. m. Tuesday in George's Blue Room.

Floyd S. Smider, general chairman, said B. W. Woolley would head the drive with a quota of \$6,500.

The big gift drive will open after the breakfast and Woolley said he hopes to make the quota before the regular campaign starts March 1.

The Red Cross total goal for 1950 is \$13,500.

Mrs. Mary Simpson, local executive secretary, today announced that Mrs. Burney Bobkoff would serve as fund campaign secretary.

T. L. Wagner, general field representative for the Red Cross, and Mrs. Bobkoff will attend the banquet along with the drive workers.

Big gift workers include the following:

J. F. Adams, Ralph Brown, Bill Bruns, Bill Brietz, Lloyd Caraway, W. M. Davidson, Tom Eady, J. N. Garitty, Gabe Goldberg, R. C. Harkins, W. B. Levy, Ed. M. Polk, R. A. Purifoy, J. C. Roe, Halsey Smith, W. H. Smith, Otis Smith, W. L. Holman, L. M. Morton, Don Winslow, N. Suttle Roberts, J. Floyd Smith, Woolley, Alton Justiss, R. Glen Thompson.

2 Commissioners For Re-Election

Commissioners Fred Prince and Travis Fullwood today announced they would be candidates for re-election in the April 4 balloting.

Commissioner Prince is now finance and park commissioner and Fullwood heads the street and sewerage systems.

City Secretary J. Preston Welch said March 4 was the last date to file for office and that absentee balloting starts March 15.

Morrison assailed the Churchill plan as "badly thought out" and said "it was a pity to drop this proposition into an election campaign."

Sir Stafford Cripps, chancellor of the exchequer, said Churchill's proposal was a desperate Conservative effort to find a talking point.

Over the week-end both laborites and conservatives accused each other of promoting stunts in an effort to stampede the others. The laborites concentrated their fire on 75-year-old Winston Churchill, who spearheads the Tory campaign.

Churchill's proposal that the West should undertake high level talks with Russia drew the heaviest fire. Bevin called it a stunt.

Deputy Prime Minister Herbert

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Edgar A. Guest
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SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE.
Of the saying, whatever is sauce
for the goose,
The sauce for the gander must
be.
I have serious doubt, for in
looking about
One difference quite plainly I
see.
A wife day and night, may the
splendors recite
Of the husbands of all other
wives.
And shower them with praise for
the various ways
They brighten and gladden
their lives.
The hats which they buy and the
gowns they supply
She may point to with envy
and pride.
"Oh, I wish," she can say, "you
would treat me that way.
And you could, I am sure, if
you tried."
Look at Jane's husband there
standing up at her chair!
How gracious and thoughtful is
he!
There's a man to admire. Note his
perfect attire.
More like him I wish you
would be.
But, turn about, and you,
gander, look out!
A scene she'll be likely to raise.
There'll be fire in her eye and the
cold words will fly
If another man's wife you
should praise.
And should this thought occur:
"Why can't you be like her?"
See how pretty her gown and
hat are!
Don't say it. She'll cry: "Now, if
I like her were I,
I'd be over-dressed, silly and
fat."

Richland Boys And Frost Fem Basketeers Annex 40-B Flags

Richland's boys fought their way into the state Class B playoffs Saturday night with a 35-31 decision over the Blooming Grove boys in the finals of the District 40-B basketball tournament at Kerens.

The Frost girls notched a thrilling 15-10 triumph over the State Home Lassies to take first place in the girls' division.

Consolation titles, equal to third place, went to the Frost boys, who won from Barry 37-31, and the Emhouse girls, who beat Kerens, 22-10.

Richland's quintet will participate in the bi-district play at Perkins gym at SMU beginning this week end.

The Richland five held a 20-17 halftime advantage over the Blooming Grove crew. Sylvanus Herod sparked the Richland attack with 13 points. Tommy Jordan of the Blooming Grove quint was high for his team with eight points.

Awards were given to the winners and the runners up at the conclusion of the tournament Saturday night.

All-district teams are to be announced later this week.

Boys' Finals.
Richland (35)—fg ft pf tp
N. Anderson.....1 3 2 5
T. Rhodes.....1 0 2 8
G. Rhodes.....1 0 2 0
Tidwell.....2 2 3 6
Herod.....3 1 1 13
Orburn.....0 0 0 0
Allen.....0 0 0 0
Orand.....0 0 0 0
14 7 12 35
Blooming Grove (31)—
T. Rhodes.....3 0 2 8
Neal.....3 0 3 2
Carle.....0 0 3 2
Gallen.....0 1 2 2
Richards.....3 1 1 7
Jordan.....3 2 1 8
McGraw.....0 0 0 0
J. Rhodes.....0 0 1 0
14 8 15 31

Girls' Finals.
Frost (15)—fg ft pf tp
May.....2 1 2 5
Fredericks.....0 3 0 3
Brown.....3 0 0 7
Ratiff.....0 0 0 0
McClure.....0 0 2 0
Kirkpatrick.....0 0 3 0
5 5 9 15
Lassies (10)—
Anders.....1 0 0 2
Smotherman.....1 2 1 4
Fate.....2 0 2 4
Campbell.....0 0 0 0
Rogers.....0 0 0 0
Belchner.....0 0 0 0
Wisenhunt.....0 0 0 0
4 2 16 10

Boys' Consolation.
Frost (37)—fg ft pf tp
McClure.....5 1 4 11
Adams.....0 1 1 1
J. Moore.....0 0 2 0
Long.....0 0 2 0
D. Moore.....2 1 1 5
Torbett.....4 2 1 10
16 5 10 37
Barry (31)—
Watson.....1 2 2 4
Grimmett.....2 2 1 6
Harris.....2 1 1 3
Barr.....0 0 2 12
Harris.....2 0 2 4
13 5 11 31

Girls' Consolation.
Emhouse (22)—
Montgomery.....5 3 1 13
Harrison.....2 0 0 6
P. Gray.....1 1 2 3
Collins.....0 0 0 0
Gamble.....0 0 2 8
Farmer.....0 0 0 0
McDonald.....0 0 5 0
8 6 15 28
Kerens (10)—
Simmons.....0 1 1 1
Bray.....1 0 3 2
Thompson.....1 1 0 3
Wasson.....2 0 2 4
Warren.....0 0 0 0
Brown.....0 0 1 0
Seabolt.....0 0 2 0
4 2 11 10

Friday's Results.
The Box Scores
FROST BOYS (28)
McClure.....fg ft pf tp
Adams.....1 0 2 3
J. Moore.....0 0 0 0
Long.....1 0 0 2
Torbett.....1 0 1 1
D. Moore.....1 2 5 11
11 6 13 28
BLOOMING GROVE (29)
T. Rhodes.....fg ft pf tp
Neal.....2 1 2 5
Carle.....0 0 1 0
Richards.....2 1 2 5
T. Jordan.....7 0 4 14
McGraw.....1 0 4 2
13 3 13 29
LASSIES (20)
Anders.....fg ft pf tp
Smotherman.....3 4 0 10
Fate.....4 1 0 8
Campbell.....0 0 3 0
Rogers.....0 0 2 0
Belchner.....0 0 3 0
8 4 9 20
BLOOMING GROVE (14)
Hiler.....fg ft pf tp
Melton.....1 3 4 5
McGraw.....2 0 0 2
Westbrook.....1 1 3 3
McComick.....0 0 1 0
Farrish.....0 0 2 0

Friday Afternoon's Games
KERENS GIRLS (21)
Simmons.....fg ft pf tp
Thompson.....5 2 2 12
Bray.....1 3 5 5
Wasson.....0 0 2 0
Warren.....0 0 1 0
Scott.....0 0 1 0
Seabolt.....0 0 3 0
7 7 17 21
BARRY GIRLS (16)
Luther.....fg ft pf tp
Tanner.....2 2 1 6
Brooks.....0 0 1 0
Barr.....0 0 5 2
Bray.....0 0 5 2
Robinson.....0 0 4 0
Sparkman.....0 0 3 0
5 6 17 16
RICHLAND BOYS (24)
Allen.....fg ft pf tp
G. Anderson.....5 3 1 13
Tidwell.....3 0 4 6
Herod.....1 0 1 2
N. Anderson.....0 1 2 1
Orand.....0 0 1 0
10 4 11 24
EMHOUSE BOYS (8)
Moore.....fg ft pf tp
Drain.....1 1 3 3
G. Brown.....2 1 2 5
McCann.....0 0 3 0
Pattison.....0 0 1 0
3 2 12 8

LADS (23)
Weatherford.....fg ft pf tp
Murdock.....1 1 0 3
Forrester.....2 0 1 4
Darnell.....4 1 2 9
Parson.....1 0 3 4
Lawrence.....1 0 3 4
10 3 8 23
BARRY BOYS (26)
Grimmett.....fg ft pf tp
Harris.....1 1 2 3
Barr.....1 1 4 7
Watson.....1 0 3 3
Barnes.....3 0 1 6
11 4 8 26
J. M. Dyer will return today from Eastern markets where he has spent the past ten days selecting merchandise for the J. M. Dyer Company.

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"Starting From Scratch"—Jaycees To Stage Banquet March 10; Governor Shivers Slated As Speaker

Gov. Allan Shivers will be principal speaker at a kick-off banquet for the membership campaign of the Corsicana Junior Chamber of Commerce, E. M. Kirkpatrick, Baytown state president of the Jaycees, also will appear on the program, slated for March 10.

Announcement of the chief executive's appearance here came at a meeting of the organization Friday night at the Chamber of Commerce headquarters, when a detailed and lengthy discussion of ways and means for the revitalizing of the Jaycees was held. A group from Dallas also was present.

Following the month's membership campaign, a meeting will be held early in April when a definite program will be outlined as suggested by the increased membership, and a new slate of officers and directors will be named.

As soon as the membership and reorganization campaigns are completed, the re-marketing of the city commission will probably be pushed to completion, and from the discussion Friday night, other projects including a swimming pool, gymnasium for the senior high school may be adopted.

Charles Bristow, Walter Bond and Bobby Galt were the three Corsicans placing. Bristow and Bond are seniors. Galt is a sophomore and broke into the A team lineup in early season.

The top scorers: Strassburger, Temple 72 34 178; McClendon, Ennis 61 35 157; Martin, Waxahachie 49 43 141; Gattlieb, Waco 56 29 141; Haney, Ennis 61 38 140; Bristow, Corsicana 53 26 132; Miller, Cleburne 50 30 130; Cooper, Waco 53 12 118; Swatell, Cleburne 46 17 109; Owens, Waxahachie 37 23 97; Bryant, Waco 39 17 95; Pace, Temple 35 12 82; Craig, Waxahachie 30 19 79; Bost, Cleburne 25 22 72; Galt, Corsicana 27 12 65; Fuller, Waxahachie 25 15 65; Bond, Corsicana 29 6 54; White, Hillsboro 25 14 64; D. Podsednik, Hillsboro 25 13 63.

Census To Show Change In Total Of Small Farms

One of the interesting findings of the 1945 census of agriculture, to be taken in April, will reveal the change in number of small farms in Navarro county.

The 1945 farm census showed that one in 10 of all farms in the nation, or 594,561, was under 10 acres in size. This number is the largest since the 1935 census enumerated in the 1935 agriculture census during the "back to the land" movement in depression years. Between 1930 and 1935, there was an increase of 212,327 farms under 10 acres in size, but during the last five years of this decade the number of these farms declined by 64,429, or 11.2 per cent.

During World War II farms under 10 acres in size increased by 88,159 or 17.4 per cent from 506,402 in 1940 to 594,561 in 1945. In this same period, the number of farms under three acres in size almost tripled from 35,977 in 1940 to 98,966 in 1945 while the number between three and nine acres in size increased from 470,425 to 495,595.

The increase in number of farms under 10 acres between the years of 1940 and 1945 was noticeable in all sections of the country. Farms under 10 acres in size increased 23 per cent in the south as compared with nine per cent in the north.

The Pursley Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the school with 12 members and one visitor present.

After a short business session the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Dryman, the county agent, and Mrs. Cook, the district agent. Mrs. Dryman discussed new materials and how to care for them. Refreshments were served.

4-H Girls Meet

The Betty's Chapel girls 4-H club met in regular meeting on Feb. 14.

After the opening exercises and games, Mrs. Dryman, the agent, took charge of the meeting and gave a lesson on fitting patterns and sanitizing cloth.

The next meeting will be on March 14, when dresses are to be fitted.

March 9th has been announced as the date of annual Tiger Talent night at Corsicana High School.

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Negro Is Killed In Truck Mishap On Highway 287

Wilmer Ell, 46, negro resident of the Reral Slacks community, was instantly killed late Saturday afternoon on Highway 287 in the Trinity river lowlands in Freestane county when his truck overturned, pinning him under it. Two brothers with him escaped unhurt.

The highway patrol investigated the accident. It occurred behind the barricades on the highway closing the traffic because of the floodwaters of the river. The accident is said to have occurred when the driver sought to turn the truck around on the pavement.

The body was brought to the Ross Funeral Home near

Pro Footballer Here On Sunday

Joe Scott, half-back the past two seasons with the New York Giants professional football club, Athens rancher, was a Corsicana visitor Sunday. He is a brother of Richard D. Scott of Corsicana.

Scott, a native of Athens, played freshman football at Texas A. and M. college, and then was a star varsity player at the University of San Francisco.

The pro ball-player has another year on his original three-year contract.

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Diana Isolated From Husband In Amarillo Jail

AMARILLO, Feb. 2.—(P)—Diana Henry Johnson is being held in the Potter county jail here—isolated from her husband, the man she says killed W. A. (Tex) Thornton last June.

The district attorney's office said yesterday that Mrs. Johnson had made a written statement but officers would not reveal its contents.

The 18-year-old blonde was returned to Amarillo from Washington Saturday night by Texas Ranger Frank Probst. She was not allowed to talk to reporters or her husband, Ewald Johnson.

Johnson was arrested in Munising, Mich., after his wife told officers in Washington that she had seen him beat Thornton, famed oil field explosives expert, to death in an Amarillo tourist court June 22.

The FBI said Johnson admitted slugging Thornton.

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Dentonite's Car Overturns Sunday

Sam Lenard Padgett of Denton escaped with only a bruised knee about 6 p. m. Sunday one mile north of Rice on Highway 75 when his car overturned after striking a culvert.

The highway patrol said Padgett's car was forced over to the culvert as he started to pass another car and it pulled out to pass the vehicle in front of it.

A McCammon ambulance answered the call, but Padgett was able to continue his journey after righting the car and did not come to a hospital here for treatment.

SICK AND CONVALESCENT.
P. and S. Hospital.

The condition of T. P. Ratliff, 28, of Mertens, who has been in critical condition since last Tuesday when he suffered a broken neck when an automobile fan struck him, was reported as "slightly improved" Monday.

Bonnie Lois Whitfield was admitted.

Mrs. Charles Hodge is a patient. Pink Hayes was admitted and discharged.

H. C. Frederick is a patient. W. C. Holloway was admitted. David B. Honza underwent an appendectomy Saturday.

Mrs. O. F. Tate is a patient. Discharged:

Mrs. Maggie Haynes.
Mrs. T. B. Peor of Dawson.
Mrs. G. E. Ward and daughter.
Mrs. Frenchie Stroder of Frost.
Mrs. V. L. Waller.
Peggy Herrin.
Mrs. W. R. Sellers, Cayuga.

Making Movie In Africa Exciting Story Itself

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 20.—(P)—Actor Richard Carlson, back from what he calls "the toughest location in film history," doesn't say he'd do it again. But he claims it was worth the trip.

Carlson was the first of the "King Solomon's Mines" cast to return from Africa. Judging from his reports of the film location, it could make an exciting movie in itself.

The company trooped all through equatorial Africa. Starting at Kenya, they journeyed to Uganda and the headwaters of the Nile through the Belgian Congo and Tanganyika and back to Kenya. They traveled 14,000 miles by safari wagons, trucks, river steamer, airplanes and on foot.

The worst conditions were in the Congo, he said. "We had no fresh water for a period of 10 days," he related. "We ate canned goods and drank warm beer, wine and vichy water (which is not too bad combined with scotch). That doesn't sound too bad, but it's not much fun to brush your teeth with wine."

Through part of the trek, the company transported cattle which were slaughtered for fresh meat. The only trouble with that was that it attracted lions. "And I defy anyone to sleep soundly when their camp is surrounded with growling lions," Carlson added.

The journey was begun last Oct. 3 and was scheduled to finish Dec. 12. That date was pushed forward again and again and it was Feb. 2 before the troupe got out of Africa.

"Our main trouble was weather," the actor said. "Tuge cluds form over Lake Victoria every day and float over the continent. That's why so much shooting time was lost."

Woman Driver

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20.—(P)—Mrs. Terry Lee Auer, 43, is ready today for a post-graduate course in driving school—although she had just graduated from the school with honors.

She "soloed" yesterday with her husband in their new car. Police said she forgot about the steering wheel when she made a turn. Result—the car ran into a house. Her husband went to a hospital with face cuts.



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General Spaatz Favors "Power"

DALLAS, Feb. 20.—(P)—Retired Air Force General Carl A. (Toosy) Spaatz thinks that "power is the only kind of deal Russia will listen to."

Spaatz is here to confer with Civil Air Patrol officials on the CAP's foreign exchange program.

"Russia won't make a deal to end the arms race," he said in an interview last night. "The situation is worse than it was a year ago. They (Russia) have the atom bomb. So now we've just got to go to work and win this race."

DOCTOR

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Dr. Sander—clean shaven and looking chipper—seemed completely relaxed.

But his wife looked grim.

The walked to the courthouse after yesterday when his pastor, at the office of Chief Defense Counsel Louis Wyman a block away.

Dr. Sander made no attempt to dodge cameramen and reporters—about 30 in all—who were waiting for his arrival.

As they flashed pictures he smiled faintly.

International attention is focused on the case because of the euthanasia—mercy killing—angle.

The tall, mustached physician has been in seclusion since he was indicted in January. He was absent yesterday when his pastor, at Sunday service in the Congressional Church in nearby Candia, prayed for his speedy acquittal.

The state of New Hampshire charges doctor Sander injected 40 cubic centimeters of air into the veins of Mrs. Borroto as she lay dying of an incurable bowel cancer in Hillsborough County General Hospital.

According to the hospital record signed by Dr. Sander, Mrs. Borroto died of cancer. A notation also recorded that 40 cc's of air were injected into her veins shortly before she passed away.

The feeling of those close to the case was that the defense would not call the doctor to the stand and that therefore the "mercy killing" angle would not play a prominent part in the testimony.

COAL

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ion plea.

This was through a stipulation as to what the findings would have to be in order for the judge to issue the order under the T-H law.

Keech denied union motions that he void his existing order. A brief filed with the judge.

UMW attorneys claimed the present work stoppage is not a strike within the meaning of the Taft-Hartley law but are individual work stoppages, each miner acting on his own.

The union contended that it is illegal to make men work against their will, and thus the court "may not legally effectuate such result through its mandatory order that defendants (Lewis and the UMW) accomplish such status (ending the strike) for the union's members."

Keech will rule sometime within the next 10 days on the government motion for an 80-day Taft-Hartley injunction.

There was no hint from the justice department whether it might act, meantime, to seek contempt action against the union for ignoring the order already issued.

Despite the coolness of Rayburn and Lucas to the idea of government seizure of the mines, some legislators were talking it.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

Dallas Gift Show Features Pair Of Rare Figurines

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
Associated Press Staff

Two rare figurines are featured among 34,000 exhibits at the Allied Gift and Jewelry Show in progress this week at Dallas.

The Royal Worcester Porcelain Co. of England flew them to the United States for the inspection of 5,000 southwestern retail store representatives expected to attend the show.

And it turns out that the figurines were modeled after a Rio Grande Valley boy.

Here is the strange story of how a South Texas child came to be a model for a figurine made in England:

The boy's mother, Mrs. C. A. Ripley of Mercedes, is an avid collector of figurines. Mrs. Ripley was especially fond of the work of Miss F. C. Doughty, one of England's ranking figurine artists.

Mrs. Ripley wrote to Miss Doughty and the two corresponded for five years.

Recently the Royal Worcester Porcelain Co. commissioned Miss Doughty to do some figurines and she decided to express her admiration of the United States by using a "typical American child" as a model.

So she wrote her friend, Mrs. Ripley, asking for photographs of her little boy.

From the photos, Miss Doughty made two figurines. One showed the child with a flock of ducks. The other has him riding a pony. Just as soon as a figurine is released for public sale, a pair will go to Mrs. Ripley of Mercedes.

Lots of fellows—maybe you, too—have gazed, enchanted, at these strapless evening gowns and murmured: "Wonder what holds 'em up?"

Well, there's finally something to hold 'em up and now any woman—no matter what sort of figure she has—can wear these gowns. And she can laugh or exhale to her heart's content.

The fascinating item that does the holding is a new idea in jewelry—on display at the gift show. It is a jeweled link-chain called a "halterette." It goes around the back of the lady's neck and then clips—on two sides—at the front of the strapless gown. That's the "double-breasted" model. The "single-breasted" halterette clips on to the front of the dress, goes over the shoulder and clips on to the back of the gown.

Lots of suspension, Joe, and no more suspense.

Farm Meeting At Richland Slated Tuesday Night

Everyone receiving income from agriculture will be interested in a meeting at Richland school, Tuesday at 7 p. m., when an agriculture class is expected to be formed, according to Jack Lewis, president of the Richland Community Farm Bureau.

Ralph Evans and Hardy Butler of the Navarro County Vocational School will handle the essential parts of the program.

Discussions will be held on various topics on the business agenda including:

1. Formulation of plans to establish an agriculture class that will be open to all who are interested in agriculture.
2. Membership drive.
3. Cotton contest.
4. Decision in regards to meeting place.
5. Constitution and by-laws.
6. Election of a new president.

Other topics likely to be considered include rural roads, farmer's gasoline refund, tax on natural resources, unfair taxes on the low income individual, election year, government control, and the farmer's profit.

"This meeting is important," Lewis declared, "for the only way the farmer has of protecting himself is to exercise his right to vote and form a strong organization which will have the power of influence that will adequately represent all farmers." He added, "The Farm Bureau is our weapon."

LEGISLATURE

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ator Jimmy Phillips' attempt to limit the tax increase on life insurance policies to new business written after the effective date of the act.

Phillips argued that the tax didn't apply on automobiles or radios bought before the act but still with payments due and that it should not therefore apply to insurance already contracted.

Senator A. M. Atkin, Jr., of Paris countered that life insurance was generally purchased on entirely different terms from automobiles and radios, with insurance premiums spanning either 20 years or a lifetime.

The Senate accepted, 30-0, an amendment by Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe to extend the tax fund's coverage to the expenditures of a proposed surplus commodity agency. Moffett said the amendment was necessary to provide operational money for the new agency already approved by the Senate.

At noon the senate recessed until 2 p. m. with no serious squabble developing on any major point.

The House heard introduction of several resolutions and recessed until 11 a. m. tomorrow. It has no vital business before it until the Senate sends back the pending tax bills.

One would levy an additional penny a pack on cigarettes for 7-12 years to provide a state hospital and special schools building fund. The other would increase by 10 per cent the present levy on items such as oil, sulphur and liquor in

the present omnibus tax program. The legislature has nine more days after today to finish the job for which Gov. Allan Shivers called the special session—to make and finance appropriations for state hospitals and special schools until Aug. 31, 1951. The constitutional limit of 30 days for a special session will be up March 1.

Speaker Durwood Mansford said there were about "40 or 50" local bills outside the subject for which the session was called which house members wanted to introduce.

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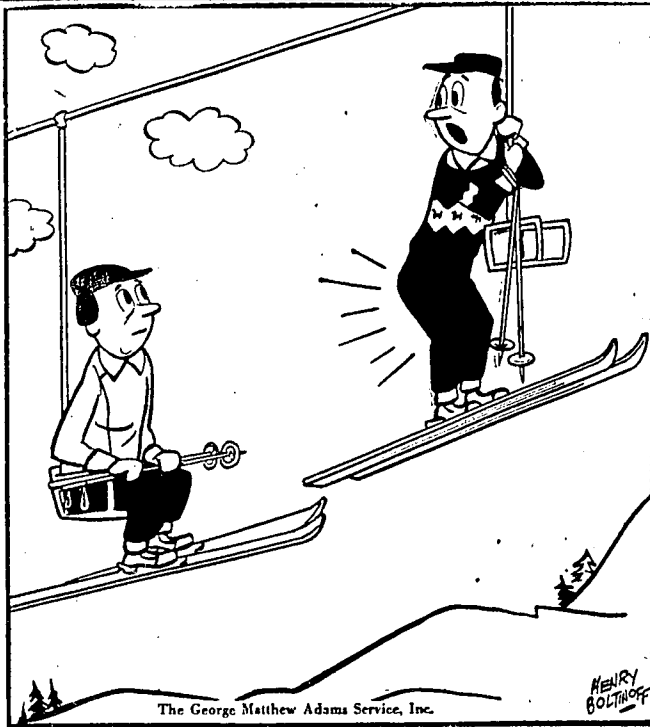
1. Possessive
2. Serpents
3. Cluster
4. High mountain
5. Discolored place
6. County in Nebraska
7. Billows
8. Masculine name
9. Covering of a wheel
10. Late
11. Moccasin
12. Light opera
13. Make public
14. Valley
15. Was aware
16. Comparative ending

DOWN

1. Fastener
2. Opposite of weather
3. Glisten
4. While
5. Watering device
6. Wood used for pasta
7. Pen
8. Sum
9. City in New York state
10. In place of
11. Golf mound
12. Spirited horse
13. Land measure
14. Church sitting
15. Decline
16. Article of belief
17. Obliterate
18. Holds back
19. Instigate
20. Keep eternally after
21. Can'ters
22. Out of the ordinary
23. Solemn promise
24. Connect
25. Cut
26. And French
27. Talless leaping
28. Amphibian
29. Snowshoe
30. Set fire to
31. Smallest even number
32. Cereal grass
33. Chic fashion
34. Bone

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TRIAL

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tence Saturday after pleading guilty. He said he used his business connections as a cover for professional intelligence activities and that nearly all American businessmen in Eastern Europe were required to turn in intelligence reports to the U. S.

Six co-defendants, who confessed to similar charges, were Edgar Sanders, a British official in the Standard Electric Company, a Hungarian subsidiary of I. T. & T.; Imre Geiger, Hungarian manager of the company; Zoltan Rado, a section chief in the Hungarian ministry of trade; Edina Doery, hotel barmaid and telephone operator; the Rev. Istvan Justh, a Roman Catholic priest, and Klemen Vokoc, chief accountant for the Standard company.

(Vogel's friends abroad have expressed disbelief in the confession he recited in court. They said Sanders' calm manner was not in character and some of his testimony did not square with known facts. (The trial is being reported for The Associated Press by its regular Budapest correspondent Endre Marton, a Hungarian national. The Hungarian government refused to act on a request for permission to admit Gaylord K. Rodenfield, American chief of the U. S. bureau in Vienna, to assist Marton in covering the trial.)

Bohmalk Taking Brotherhood Trip

Dr. Erwin F. Bohmalk, pastor of the First Methodist Church, left Monday morning for a three-day trip in connection with the annual National Brotherhood week observance. He will be the protestant member of a three team group, including Jewish and Catholic. This group will meet for a two-day session in Shreveport Monday and Tuesday, addressing public schools, the Centenary College, joint luncheon clubs and other meetings. On Wednesday they will address a joint meeting of citizens and Luncheon Clubs in Gladewater.

Miss Mary Ann Wooldridge of Fairfield was a recent visitor in the home of Miss Evelyn Womack.

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Couple Visits In McKeown Home

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hopkins were recent guests in the home of her aunt, Mrs. K. L. McKeown, returning to Houston after attending funeral services for Mrs. Hopkins' father, O. R. Gable, at Artesia, N. M., and a brother-in-law, Turner Adams, at Lubbock.

Mrs. Gable, who formerly lived at Dawson, was a graduate of Southern University at Georgetown and taught in various communities in Texas. He is survived by a wife, three daughters and a son. The Adams' rites were held Tuesday afternoon, and those for Mr. Gable early Wednesday. Adams was a victim of leukemia, and Gable's death followed a heart attack.

New Assistant City Engineer

Raymond Henry, a 1949 graduate of Southern Methodist University, has been named assistant city engineer. He started his new duties Monday.

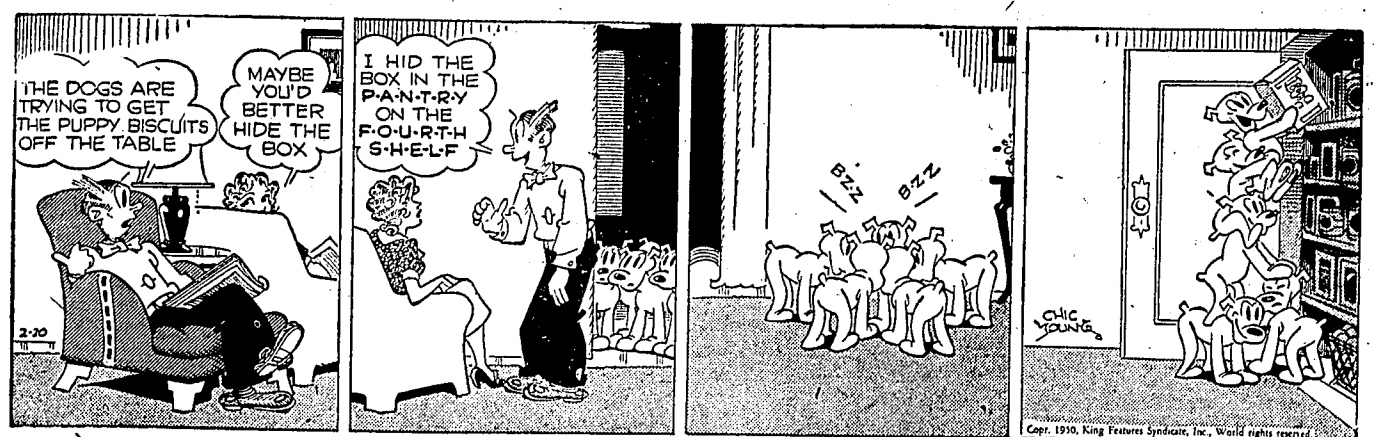
A civil engineer, Henry worked for the Austin Bros. Steel Co., Dallas, prior to coming to Corsicana. He is married and lives at 2001 West Fifth avenue. Henry is the son-in-law of Elmer Keel, 1026 West Tenth avenue.

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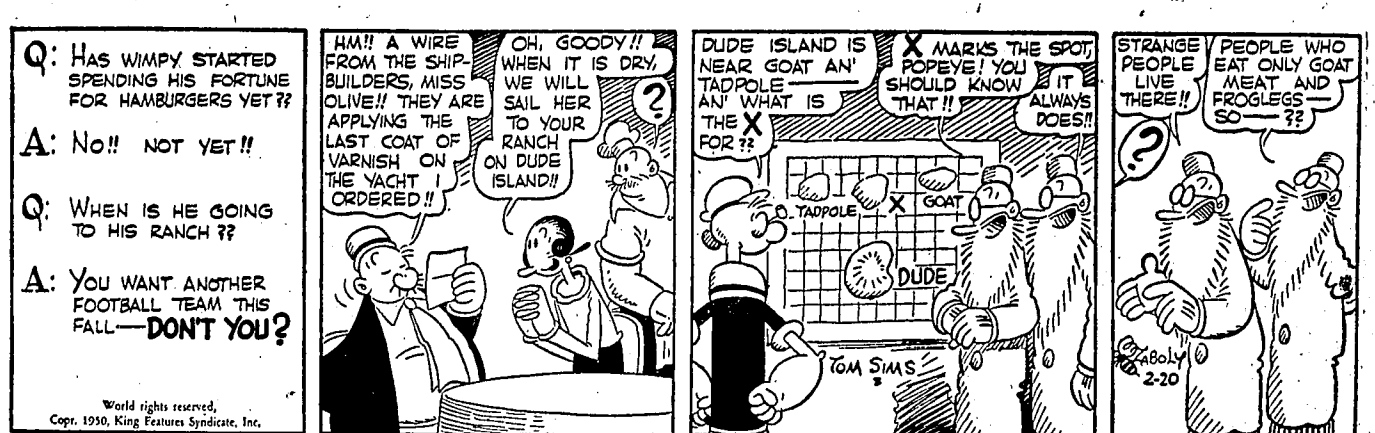
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satisfies the nature and amount of this need than the cent a package on cigarettes," Stockard added, and called attention to the 3-cent tax on cigarettes in Texas now as the lowest in the nation. Stockard also stated that the omnibus tax bill already passed by the house and now awaiting action in the senate will increase the present tax rate on natural resources and many other items by 10 percent. The increase would expire after 18 months. He indicated that the general session of the legislature next year, will likely conduct an intensive survey of the state's entire tax structure and eliminate many existing inequities. Stockard suggested that one item most likely to receive a large increase at that time will be natural gas. Opponents of the proposed cigarette tax term the levy a "sales tax." The bill as it is written would not expire until 1957.

So Men May Live Longer
By W. P. BROWN
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Recently it was announced that the medical profession and the drug manufacturers are combining their efforts in a million dollar research project to study the causes of degenerate diseases, such as high blood pressure, hardening of the arteries, arthritis, and heart ailments.
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This is the 23th of a series of editorial advertisements appearing in this paper each Monday and Tuesday.

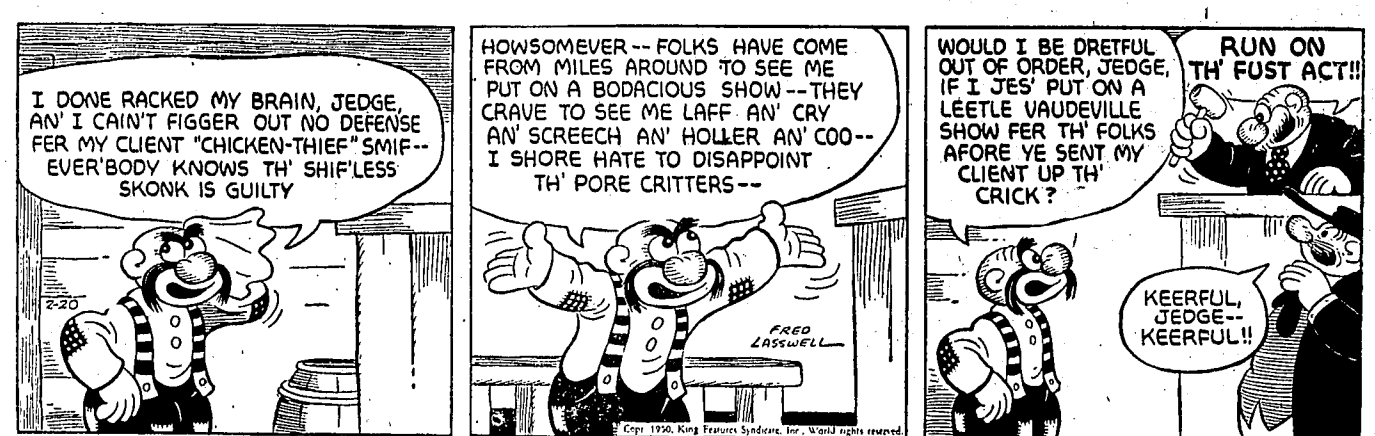
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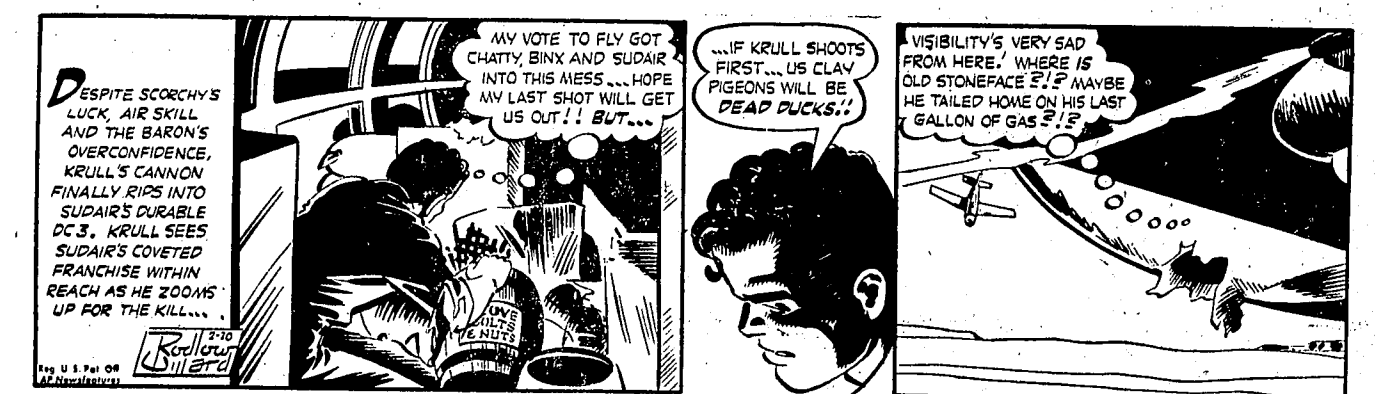
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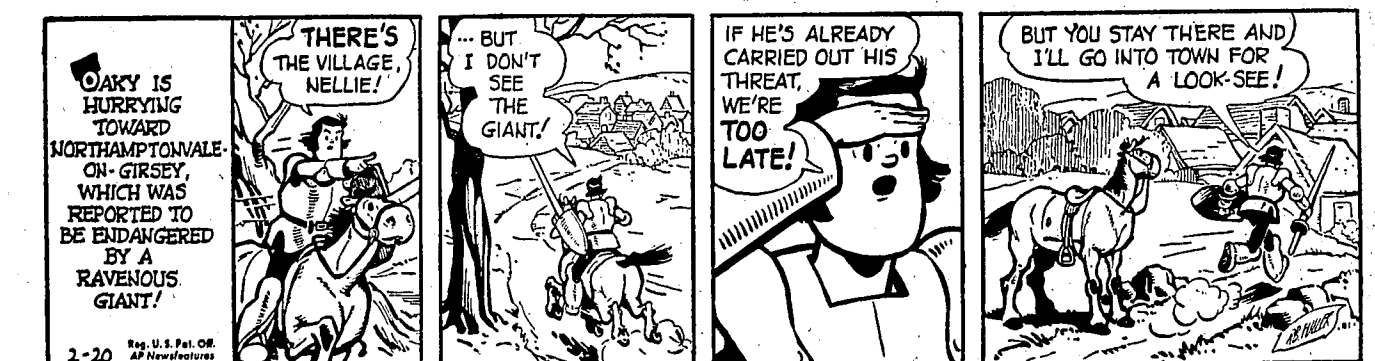
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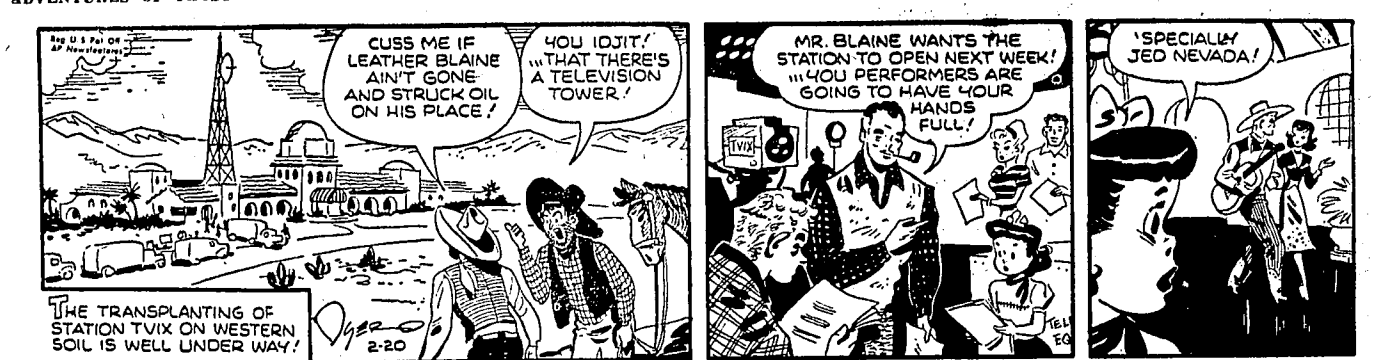
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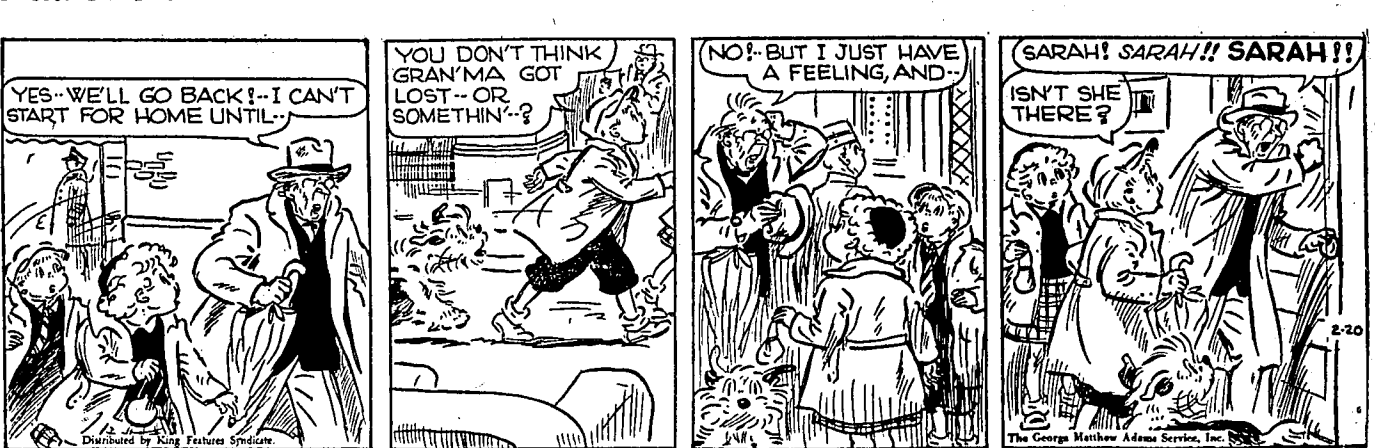
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THE ADVENTURES OF PATSY



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Opening Planned This Week For \$25,000 Recreation Center Here

Finishing touches are being put on Corsicana's newest recreation center, College Inn Skateland, and the opening is planned for this week. Plans for the opening of the \$25,000 rink are not complete but an open house may be held. If so, the center will be thrown open for inspection and the possibility of having exhibition skating is being discussed.

One of the owners said: "We have built a clean modern place for Corsicana's recreation and we intend to run it in an upright, gentlemanly and courteous manner." Definite opening plans will be announced soon.

Brotherhood Week Will Be Observed Here On Tuesday

Brotherhood Week will be observed Tuesday in Corsicana with speakers representing the National Conference of Christians and Jews appearing on three programs. The first appearance will be at 10:20 a. m. at the senior high school and then at 11:15 a. m. at the junior high school auditorium. They will provide the program at the joint meeting of the Lions and Civitans at 12:10 p. m.

The speakers will be Dr. W. C. Jones, pastor of the Central Christian church in Dallas; Rabbi Isadore Harsk of Congregation Ahadath Scoolom, Fort Worth, and Father John McCullen, St. John's Catholic church, Terrell.

The local committee is W. P. McCammon, brotherhood chairman and chairman of the Round Table; Jay Silverberg and Miss Mary Walker.

The public is invited to attend the meeting at the Lions Club Tuesday noon and reservations should be made with John H. Bryant, secretary, not later than 10 a. m. Tuesday, chairman McCammon announced.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Slow afternoon rally steadied the stock market today after a limited morning setback.

Closing prices were mostly lower. Leading issues, however, were up from the lows of the day and some sold at net gains.

Turnover was around 1,300,000 shares.

During the morning prices slipped fractions to around a point. Selling pressure did not amount to much but demand was dampened by failure of the miners to obey the second back-to-work order of John L. Lewis.

Buyers evidently picked up their courage when serious selling did not develop and a slow rally got under way. At the same time, there was a strong undercurrent of hope in the financial district that the miners will return to the coal pits in the near future.

General Electric and Westinghouse Electric were firm spots with fractions gains. Inched up a bit higher were Willamette Industries, International Harvester, Lookheed, Eastern Air Lines, and Motorola.

On the sticky side were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem Steel, General Motors, Chrysler, Studebaker, Goodrich, Firestone, Emerson Radio, Philco, Sparks-Withington, American Smelting, Allied Chemical, American Tobacco, Santa Fe, Southern Railway, Chesapeake and Ohio, Nickel Plate, Gulf Oil, and Transcontinental and Western Air.

Stocks in the Spotlight

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 10 most active stocks today.

Am Airlines 23,900 11 5-8 No. 1
Hem Rand 23,400 14 1-2 U-2
Westing Elec 19,000 3-1 2-7 3
Emmer R&P 18,900 25 1-2 D 3-4
Willamette 17,700 1-2 1-4
Ray Corp 17,400 1-3 1-2 D
Pepsi Cola 14,800 11 1-2 D-1
Sparks Withington 8-8 3-8 D-1-4
Greyhound 18,700 10 7-8 D-1-8
US Steel 18,200 30 1-4 D-1-8

Am Air 21 1-2 5-8 11 1-2 11 5-8
AT&T 23 1-2 5-8 11 1-2 11 5-8
Am Woolen 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Anacon Cop 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
A.T. & T. 23 1-2 5-8 11 1-2 11 5-8
A.M. 104 7 5-8 7 1-2 7 5-8
Beth Steel 34 5-8 32 3-4 33 5-8
Brant Air 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Chrysler Corp 34 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Cont Motors 48 7 5-8 7 5-8 7-8
Curtis Wright 78 9 1-8 8 7-8 9
Freight Car 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Gen Elec 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Gen Mtrs 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Goodrich 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Greiner Corp 137 11 1-2 10 7-8 10
Hou Oil 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
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Int Harvester 28 2-4 1-2 2-8 2-8
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Lockhart Air 73 2-4 1-2 3-8 2-8 1-8
Mo Kan Tex 7 5-8 7 1-2 7 5-8
Montreal 20 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Nat'l Gypsum 8 19 18 3-4 18 3-4
No Am Air 24 3-4 2-3 7-8 2-4
Ohio Oil 23 2-4 1-2 2-8 2-8
Packard Motor 37 4 1-2 3-8 4 1-2
P. & A. 104 7 5-8 7 1-2 7 5-8
Paham P&H 48 7 5-8 7 1-2 7 5-8
Penney (JC) 8 60 59 7-8 60
Phil Pet 18 59 4-4 58 3-4 59 1-8
Plymouth Oil 2 40 39 7-8 39 7-8
Pure Oil 22 27 3-8 26 7-8 27 1-4
Rac Cor 17 15 1-4 15 1-4
Republic Steel 44 26 1-4 26 2-8
Sears Roebuck 38 42 1-2 42 2-8
Sincilar Oil 55 22 1-2 22 1-4 22 3-8
Soc Vac 98 16 1-4 16 1-4
South Pac 41 52 3-4 52 3-4
Std Oil Cal 21 62 1-2 62 1-4 62 3-4
Std Oil Ind 24 5-8 4-8 3-8 4-8 3-8
Std Oil NJ 41 67 1-2 66 1-2 67 1-8
Sun Oil 2 56 1-2 56 1-2
Texaco 20 61 1-2 56 1-2 56 1-2
Tx Gulf Pro 4 58 5-8 58 5-8 58 5-8
Tx Gulf Sul 7 73 7-8 72 3-4 73
Tx Pac & O 6 71 2-2 71 2-4 71 2-4
Tid Wat A Oil 23 24 2-8 23 2-8 23 2-8
Rubber 17 43 1-2 43 1-4 43 1-4
Occ 133 30 1-4 30 1-4
W. U. Tel. A 62 20 1-2 19 7-8 20 1-2
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MODES OF THE MOMENT

BY DOROTHY ROE



1950 LOOK . . . The classic blouse has undergone a few changes this season, as witness this tissue fallie number with dolman sleeves, designed by Dorothy Roe.

Courthouse News

District Court.

A jury in the case of Mrs. Ila Green, et al vs. E. J. Jeffries et al, returned a verdict for the defendants on special issues late Thursday afternoon. The trial had been in progress since Tuesday.

The litigation was an outgrowth of a truck-car collision Dec. 7, 1947, two miles south of Rice, Highway 75, in which Mrs. Green received serious injuries and her husband, Charles P. Green, was killed.

The jury found Mrs. Green and son, Charles Paul Green, had been damaged \$27,803, but answered the question of whether or not the accident was unavoidable "Yes", which court attaches and attorneys said relieved the defendants of responsibility.

Judge A. P. Mays sentenced Herman Boyd Smith to five additional years in the state penitentiary for a two-year cumulative sentence on a similar charge on Dec. 22 last year.

Several non-jury matters were considered by Judge Mays Saturday.

The jury scheduled to report at 10 a. m. Tuesday was excused by A. P. Mays, district judge, Monday, when it was seen no jury cases would be tried.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the ninth week of the January term, Tuesday, Feb. 28:

Mar. 1, 1950, Corsicana R. 4; C. L. Holt, Dawson; R. Lockhart, Corsicana; Charlie Coy, Chatfield; T. A. Hutchison, Barry; Edward L. McClure, Barry; G. O. McGhee, Purdon; E. D. Donahoe, Route 3, Corsicana; E. Hines, Kereas; S. Thompson, Corsicana; Frank Marx, Corsicana; C. A. Grantham, Eureka;

Joseph C. Ward, Corsicana; Robert M. Martin, Route 4, Corsicana; M. A. Norris, Hubbard; Will Hayes, Dawson; L. Adams, Corsicana; J. W. Robinson, Corsicana; Whitworth, Corsicana; Vernon Brewer, Route 1, Eureka; C. B. Haley, Corsicana; C. J. Novell, Route 1, Purdon; V. M. Pelham, Corsicana;

Charles G. Goss, Corsicana; J. K. Smithen, Blooming Grove; T. H. Johnson, Purdon; Roosevelt Hamilton, Corsicana; W. M. Hunter, Corsicana; Jimmie Barlow, Corsicana; M. L. Frost, Corsicana; Fred Connor, Angus; E. A. Berry, Route 2, Dawson; R. Crawford, Route 1, Purdon; J. S. Wilson, Kereas;

David G. Vance, Corsicana; H. T. Green, Richmond; W. A. Brown, Corsicana; A. A. Hood, Corsicana; M. L. Draper, Corsicana; S. A. Sheppard, Corsicana.

District Clerk's Office.

Mrs. Buford Catherine Windham vs. Ben Lee Windham, divorce.

County Court.

Eck S. Petty pleaded guilty to a liquor law violation charge Saturday morning and was fined \$100 and costs by County Judge Joe D. Huffstutler.

A white man was given a 90-day commitment at the state hospital in Rusk.

Bowen, Brown, was fined \$25 and costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail Monday by Joe Huffstutler, county judge, on his plea of aggravated assault. He is alleged to have threatened Roy Johnson, Roane merchant, with a pistol during an argument Saturday.

The will of Meadie Means, deceased, was admitted to probate in orders granted Monday morning by Joe D. Huffstutler, county judge.

Justice Court.

A negro arrested by city police has been charged in one burglary and four auto theft complaints as a result of the taking of several automobiles from parking lots at night and later abandoning the cars.

The complaint was accepted by the county attorney's office and were signed by Constable Joe Allen. Three of the theft cases were filed before Judge W. H. Johnson and one theft and the burglary charge was filed before Judge J. W. Sheppard.

Two auto theft cases were transcribed into the district court and a violation of the prohibition laws case to the county court.

Judge Johnson fined a negro on a vagrancy complaint.

Two were fined on reckless driving charges and two for operating cars without operator's licenses.

ver: the week-end by Judge J. W. Sheppard. One complaint for driving while intoxicated was filed before Judge Sheppard Monday.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Wayne Croft and Halley Blake.

Daniel Lee Winter and Valda Leona Bullington.

Cleo Ford and Mrs. Annie Hardgrove.

Sheriff's Office.

A white man was arrested on an intoxication charge Friday morning by Deputy Sheriffs R. E. Jones and Dick Salter at Highway 75, in which Mrs. Green received serious injuries and her husband, Charles P. Green, was killed.

One was lodged in jail on a driving while intoxicated charge by the highway patrol during the week-end.

Deputy Sheriff Salter conveyed a white man to the state hospital in Rusk Monday.

Christian Colleges In Orient Depend On World Day Of Prayer Offerings; Event Will Be Observed Here Friday

The students of today are the leaders of tomorrow. India, the United Council of Church Women. There are eight interdenominational Christian colleges in the Orient which depend upon World Day of Prayer offerings for their maintenance, and a part of their operating budgets.

The World Day of Prayer will be observed Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at First Christian church. Leaders will be Mmes. Al-gan Bryant, president; H. A. Juen-garian, program chairman, and William Acosta.

Started by Dr. Ida S. Scudder thirty years ago, the Vellore Christian Medical College is the only Christian medical college of full university standing in India. It trains a limited number of men as well as women; when its facilities can be increased, more men will be admitted.

The Women's Christian College of Madras, sister college to Mt. Holyoke, continues its special two-year program in nutrition, and with the shortage in rice, it is more than ever striving for an adequate diet. Many have no idea that calories can be obtained from anything but rice.

St. Christopher's Training College for Women, an outgrowth of the Women's Christian College of Madras, trains Indian women to teach the youth of India. The government plan for universal free education greatly increases the need for trained teachers. A one year emergency training class was organized by the government in 1946, with students from Tamil Nadu, Telegu, rather than in English, and 59 students enrolled. In 1947, however, there was a return to the two years' training course as more practical.

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Announcements

Lost of Strayed 3

STRAYED—Small 21-2 year old bird on point. Fresh scar on right four leg. Color of liver and white. Answers to the name of Clyde. Wagon 101. Call Mr. McMillan 123 North 7th St. Phone 230, or return to McMillan Service Station.

Business Service

Mattress Makers 10

CORSICANA MATTRESS FACTORY in order to stimulate business, we are reducing our prices on all mattress work for 30 days. Call us. We have the most complete line in the county and can fit your mattress any way you want it. Come in and see for yourself. Take advantage of our bargain prices. Phone 230.

Miscellaneous Service 11

RELT's, Buckles, Buttons, Buttonholes, Eyes, Sewing and Alterations. 201-3 North Benton.

Mortgage Loans 22

FARM AND RANCH LOANS Federal Land Bank 4 percent on or below 100 acres. Building, remodeling, fencing, other improvements. You are invited to discuss your needs with us. Confidential.

NAVARRO ANNUAL FARM LOAN 902 E. Main St. Phone 222.

Livestock

Baby Chicks 25

FOR CUSTOM HATCHING bring your eggs to Roberts Hatchery at our new location 1 block south of State Hwy. on Thence. Set each Saturday. Producing all quality. We carry a complete line of Full-Orpingtons, 50¢ each. Sells or trade. 212 acres stock farm, good improvements, on West Highway. 544 acre.

Modern three bedroom cottage edge Jester Place, nice modern two bedroom cottage West 1st.

Small cottage in rear, close in. \$5500. No. 101 North 11th Street. PHONE 1174.

Miscellaneous for Rent 42

FOR RENT—130 acre post oak pasture with cattle ranges of town, Owen Deaman. Phone 221-42.

Business Opportunities 48

FOR SALE—Complete Blacksmith Shop equipment. B. A. Immon, Kereas, Texas, Highway 300.

City Property 49

"NEW" COTTAGE—1434 West 6th Ave. 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, modern kitchen, large lot. \$5500. Tel. 2718-J. owner, or Tel. 3492 and 1483.

Automobiles for Sale 57

CLEAN 1931 Chevrolet. Completely overhauled. New tires and battery. \$605.00. Harry Dean. Phone 545-W.

Auto Parts and Tires 58

FOR SALE—Auto glass for all makes and models. Complete line of Glass Supply Company. 117 West 2nd Avenue. Phone 724.

FOR SALE—Two thousand miles of hay. Cornack Watkins, 4-1-2 miles Route-Chatfield Highway.

Club News

Emhouse H-D Club

The Emhouse 4-H Club met in the school Wednesday, Feb. 15 with the president of the club in charge.

After the song, motto and minutes, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Dryman, the county agent, who discussed making skirts and dresses and shrinking materials.

Business Survey

The Corsicana business survey, recently completed, lists 664 white businesses, professional, service and industry firms and 41 negro businesses. Larry Jones, Business Chamber of Commerce manager, said this list would be broken down into a buyers' guide.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to all who in any way extended words and deeds of sympathy to us in our recent sorrow and in the bereavement of our loved one. We especially wish to thank the ladies of the Eleventh Avenue church and Rev. E. L. Craig—Mrs. Arthur Lee Huitt and Son—Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Huitt and Family.

For a hamburger supper tomato and onion slices make a fine accompaniment if they have been first marinated in French dressing.

Tune 'N' Fork's Theme Wednesday Will Be Italy

"Vignettes of Italy" will be the unique title of the program on Italy that will highlight the meeting of the Tune 'N' Fork Club at Kinsloe House Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Reflected in the continuity of the program, which will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cook, will be the gaiety, melody and color of the happy country of the home of opera art. It will be remembered that opera had its beginning during the Renaissance when the Italians attempted to revive Greek drama by having poetry recited to music.

An interlude of folk songs will include "O Sole Mio," "Santa Lucia," "Il Bacio" (L. Arditi), Tosca's "Goodbye," "Viviamo in Fieffe" (C. E. Roney), "Funiculi, Funicula" and "Yes, We Have No Bananas."

A group of girls in native costumes will sing the ever-popular Italian folk melody, "Come, Buy My Flowers." One of the features of the evening.

Mrs. H. A. Quate of Kereas will sing "Pace, Pace, Mio Dio" from "The Force of Destiny" by Verdi; Mrs. Quate and Roy Kerr will sing "Viva e T'Amo" by Carpana; Mrs. Vernon Harwell will contribute a ballet number; and Mrs. Aline Trimble will sing "Tillam Street Song."

Accompanists for the evening will be Mrs. Sam E. Werner and Mrs. C. E. Beene.

Reservations are now being accepted by Miss Buena Allyn Watt, 212 S. 16th Street.

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